

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Applicant(s) : Arkhipov, et al.
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Filed : January 7, 2004
For : INTEGRATED OPTICAL DEVICE AND
METHOD OF MAKING THE SAME
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing six (6) references that are also enclosed.

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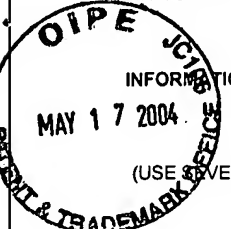
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	6	European Search Report dated March 11, 2003, for European Application No. 03447004.7.

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